

TOPIC Military Activity in the Northern Sector of the CDR

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REFERENCES

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REMARKS This is UNEVALUATED

1. At 1500 on 28 July 1954, a column of 18 x 85-mm AT guns coupled to trucks, about 20 trucks including some with luggage, a field kitchen and about 150 soldiers with red-bordered black epaulets passed through Samtens on Ruegen Island toward Ruegendamm. 1
2. On 31 July, 5 x 37-mm AA guns, 2 armored personnel carriers, about 50 trucks and 150 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets were entrained at Haldensleben railroad station. The shipment departed between 1600 and 2100. 2
3. After 1600 on 10 August, heavy elements of all units in Neuruippin left the post toward Wittstock troop training grounds.

About one third of the units were reported. The columns were later seen in the Neuglienicke-Wallitz area, that is, in the eastern sector of Wittstock troop-training grounds. 3
4. From 0300 until 0400 on 16 August, large columns of track-laying vehicles passed through Zehdenick. The vehicles came from the direction of Camp Vogelsang and proceeded toward Falkenthal. At T-34/85 tank which remained behind on the road to Wesendorf because of engine trouble, probably belonged to the columns. From conversation, it was learned that Camp Vogelsang was vacant on 16 August. 4
5. During the night of 15 August, artillery firing, including heavy-caliber firing, was conducted north and northwest of Vogelsang.
6. At 1500 on 16 August, a military shipment passed through Vogelsang railroad station. It came from the direction of Zehdenick and proceeded toward Templin and carried about 10 x 37-mm AA guns, about 40 motor vehicles, and troops with red-bordered black epaulets, on 10 boxcars. 5

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